

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1           1. A method of generating a ticket, comprising:  
2           requesting ticket data using a network;  
3           sending ticket data corresponding to the ticket using the network,  
4           where the ticket data includes identification data corresponding to an image of a  
5           person;  
6           receiving the ticket data through the network; and  
7           forming the ticket, including the image, using the ticket data.

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1           2. The method as recited in claim 1, wherein:  
2           requesting the ticket data includes accessing a server over the network  
3           with a computer; and  
4           sending the ticket data includes placing the ticket data onto the  
5           network with the server.

1           3. The method as recited in claim 2, wherein:  
2           forming the ticket includes forming the image on media with an  
3           imaging device using the identification data.

1           4. The method as recited in claim 3, wherein:  
2           receiving the ticket data includes storing the ticket data in the  
3           computer; and  
4           forming the ticket includes sending the ticket data to the imaging  
5           device.

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1           5. The method as recited in claim 4, wherein:  
2           forming the ticket includes integrating graphics with the image.

1           6. The method as recited in claim 5, wherein:

2 the graphics include a watermark corresponding to the identification  
3 data.

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2 7. The method as recited in claim 3, wherein:  
3 receiving the ticket data includes storing the ticket data in the imaging  
4 device; and  
5 forming the ticket includes integrating graphics with the image.

1 8. The method as recited in claim 7, wherein:  
2 the graphics include a watermark corresponding to the identification  
3 data.

1 9. The method as recited in claim 1, wherein:  
2 requesting the ticket data includes accessing a server over the network  
3 with an imaging device; and  
4 sending the ticket data includes placing the ticket data onto the  
5 network with the server.

1 10. The method as recited in claim 9, wherein:  
2 receiving the ticket data includes storing the ticket data in the imaging  
3 device; and  
4 forming the ticket includes forming the image on media with the  
5 imaging device.

1 11. The method as recited in claim 10, wherein:  
2 forming the ticket includes integrating graphics with the image.

1 12. The method as recited in claim 11, wherein:  
2 the graphics include a watermark corresponding to the identification  
3 data.

1           13. A ticket generating apparatus for use with a network, comprising:  
2           a first network enabled device coupled to the network and arranged to  
3           receive ticket data through the network;  
4           a second network enabled device coupled to the network and arranged  
5           to send the ticket data to the network, with the ticket data including  
6           identification data corresponding to an image of a person; and  
7           an imaging device coupled to the first network enabled device and  
8           arranged to receive the ticket data to form the ticket on media including the  
9           image.

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1           14. The ticket generating apparatus as recited in claim 13, wherein:  
2           the first network enabled device includes a computer; and  
3           the second network enabled device includes a server.

1           15. The ticket generating apparatus as recited in claim 14, wherein:  
2           the server includes a configuration to generate the ticket data using  
3           identification data supplied by the computer over the network; and  
4           the server includes a configuration to generate the ticket data including  
5           graphics data integrated with the image.

1           16. The ticket generating apparatus as recited in claim 15, wherein:  
2           the graphics include a watermark corresponding to the identification  
3           data.

1           17. A ticket generating apparatus for use with a network, comprising:  
2           a first network enabled device coupled to the network and arranged to  
3           send ticket data to the network, with the ticket data including identification data  
4           corresponding to an image of a person; and  
5           a second network enabled device coupled to the network and arranged  
6           to receive the ticket data through the network and configured to form the ticket  
7           on media including the image.

8           18. The ticket as recited in claim 17, wherein:

9           the first network enabled device includes a server; and

10          the second network enabled device includes an imaging device.

1           19. The ticket generating apparatus as recited in claim 18, wherein:

2           the server includes a configuration to generate the ticket data using

3           identification data supplied by the imaging device over the network; and

4           the server includes a configuration to generate the ticket data including

5           graphics data integrated with the image.

1           20. The ticket generating apparatus as recited in claim 19, wherein:

2           the graphics include a watermark corresponding to the identification

3           data.

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